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FOR: STORAGE CONTAINER AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

HAVING A SHEET TO ASSIST A USER'S

GRIP

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Official Action of October 24, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.